

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
 Applicant: Klaas POELSTRA et al. : Attorney, Docket No.
 Application No. 09/868,585 : POELSTRA
 Filed: July 26, 2001 :
 For: "DIAGNOSIS OF SEPSIS USING..." :
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July 8, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**SIR:**

Applicant hereby petitions to extend the term for filing a response to the Official Action of May 7, 2002 set to expire June 7, 2002 by a period of *One Further Month* to July 7, 2002 or such other term required to render the instant response timely.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Over 500 Employees</u>
One Month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 55.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 110.00
Two Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 200.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 400.00
Three Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 460.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 920.00
Four Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 720.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,440.00
Five Months	<input type="checkbox"/> 980.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,960.00

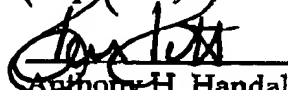
AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the undersigned's PTO Deposit Account No. 080570 in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the one month extension of time fee, large entity.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0570.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required.

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